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John Grimm named as Deputy Court Administrator

The Delaware Judiciary has named Deputy Attorney General John Grimm as Deputy State Court Administrator at the Delaware Administrative Office of the Courts. Grimm succeeds Amy Arnott Quinlan who was promoted to State Court Administrator on July 1.

Grimm graduated from Boston College with a Bachelors Degree in Psychology. He graduated from the Widener University School of Law magna cum laude, where he was comanaging editor of the Delaware Journal of Corporate Law and the Wolcott Fellow Law Clerk for the Honorable Andrew G.T. Moore II.

Prior to joining the Administrative Office, Grimm worked at the Delaware Department of Justice first in the Crime Strategies Unit, focusing on proactively reducing crime through community outreach, education and nuisance property abatement. Grimm then served in the Domestic Violence Unit, where in addition to prosecuting ordinary felony level domestic violence cases, he was particularly tasked with handling allegations of Elder Abuse, Neglect and Exploitation.

Grimm began his legal career at the law firm Ashby & Geddes focusing on corporate and commercial law. He then went to seminary at Catholic University of America where he earned his Master of Divinity and was ordained to the priesthood. Later he went on to The Dominican House of Studies in Washington DC and earned a Masters in Theology, graduating magna cum laude. Grimm worked in the Roman Catholic Diocese of Wilmington in a variety of roles including as the Diocese spokesman on bioethics issues. He was also an assistant professor of Ethics at Seton Hall University and an adjunct professor at Immaculate University. He served as the Pastor/Administrator at Holy Spirit Parish in New Castle from 2011 until 2013, when he left the priesthood to return to the practice of law.

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